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EO 11652: GDS TAGS: MNUC PK

SUBJ: PAKISTAN REPROCESSING PLANT

**REF: STATE 194167** 

1. DURING CALL ON FONSEC SHAHNAWAZ TODAY I RAISED SUBJECT OF APPARENT CONFUSION OVER USG REQUIREMENTS FOR ASSURANCES FROM GOP ABOUT NOT GOING IT ALONE WITH A REPROCESSING PLANT. I CITED NEWSOM'S CLARIFICATION TO PAK AMBASSADOR CONTAINED PARA THREE REFTEL, AND REMINDED FONSEC OF THE WORDING I HAD USED IN MY MESSAGE TO GOP OF JULY 18 (ISLAMABAD 6060) "WE HOPE YOU CAN ASSURE THE USG PRIVATELY THAT YOU HAVE NO INTENTION TO BUILD YOUR OWN PLANT".

2. SHAHNAWAZ SAID THERE WAS NO CONFUSION WITHIN GOP ON THIS POINT, AND SAID HE DID NOT KNOW WHY AMB YAQUB KHAN HAD THE IMPRESSION THAT A WRITTEN AND/OR PUBLIC ASSURANCE WAS REQUIRED BY USG.

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